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FOR :SIXTEEN AMINO ACID OF THE ANTINEOPLASTIC PROTEIN (ASS)

AS A PHARMACOLOGICALLY ACTIVE ANTI-TUMOR AGENT

June 19, 2002

Boston, Massachusetts

BOX CPA Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the December 17, 2001, Final Office Action in the above-identified application. With the extension, the Response is due on or before May 20, 2002. A check in the amounts of \$200.00 in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1), are enclosed herewith.

An additional fee of \$260 is believed to be due. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311 (Reference No. 21578-013).

Respectfully submitted,

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